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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

n Re Application of: Krumel)	
Serial No.: 09/745,599)	• .
Filed: December 21, 2000)	Examiner: Gold, Avi M
For: Methods and Systems using PLD- based Network Communication Protocols)))	Group Art Unit: 2157
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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Dear Commissioner:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed October 19, 2006. Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0251 in the amount of \$60.00 for the extension fee. An amendment responsive to the outstanding Office Action accompanies this petition.

Please charge any additional fees due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0251.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that the foregoing is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service, postage prepaid, to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date indicated above.